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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): T. J. CAMPANA, Jr.

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For: ELECTRONIC MAIL SYSTEM WITH RF COMMUNICATIONS TO
MOBILE PROCESSORS

Group: 2645

Examiner: R. G. Foster

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 2, 2005

Sir:

The following is in response to the June 2, 2005 Office Action in which the Examiner alleges that restriction under 35 USC §121 is required and requested Applicants to elect one of the alleged inventions.

In response to the restriction requirement Applicants hereby elect without traverse Invention I, claims 95, 96, 100-105, 108-111, 118-129, 131, 132, 136-141, 144-147, 154-157, 150, 160, 164-169, 172-175, 182-193, 195, 196, 200-205, 208-211, 218, 219, 235-240, 245-248, 253-256 and 261-264 for further prosecution on the merits. Accordingly, an Office Action examining claims 95, 96, 100-105, 108-111, 118-129, 131, 132, 136-141, 144-147, 154-157, 150, 160, 164-169, 172-175, 182-193, 195, 196, 200-205, 208-211, 218, 219, 235-240, 245-248, 253-256 and

261-264 is respectfully requested. Applicants also submit that Linking Claims 94, 234, 242, 250 and 258 are directed to the same features as claims 95, 96, 100-105, 108-111, 118-129, 131, 132, 136-141, 144-147, 154-157, 150, 160, 164-169, 172-175, 182-193, 195, 196, 200-205, 208-211, 218, 219, 235-240, 245-248, 253-256 and 261-264. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner examine the application based on the elected claims and the linking claims.

It is noted that according to MPEP §809 that should any linking claims be determined to be allowable, then rejoinder of the non-elected claims may become necessary.

To the extent necessary, the applicants petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136. Please charge any shortage in fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, including extension of time fees, or credit any overpayment of fees, to the deposit account of MATTINGLY, STANGER, MALUR & BRUNDIDGE, P.C., Deposit Account No. 50-1417 (780.29643CX5).

Respectfully submitted,

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